

Cancer Profile for Shelby County

Population 2020 Census

Total Population	223,024
% Male	48.2%
% Female	51.8%
% White	74.1%
% Black	14.1%
% Other Races	11.8%
% Under 65	85.7%
% 65 and Older	14.3%

Source: US Census Bureau <http://factfinder.census.gov/>



Cancer Incidence in Shelby County 2014-2023

	White Male Rate	White Male Count	White Female Rate	White Female Count	Black Male Rate	Black Male Count	Black Female Rate	Black Female Count
All Sites	411.3	4429	373.3	4391	480.6	465	350.9	495
Lung	49.7	535	40.1	514	60.0	48	26.7	31
Colorectal	36.0	380	32.0	380	42.6	40	36.7	47
Breast	*	*	130.7	1543	*	*	129.1	196
Cervix	*	*	5.0	51	*	*	^	^
Prostate	112.1	1310	*	*	184.3	209	*	*

Rates are per 100,000, age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. (Census P25-1130) standard and are for malignant tumors only except all sites which includes bladder cancer *in situ*.

^ Statistic not displayed due to fewer than 15 cases.

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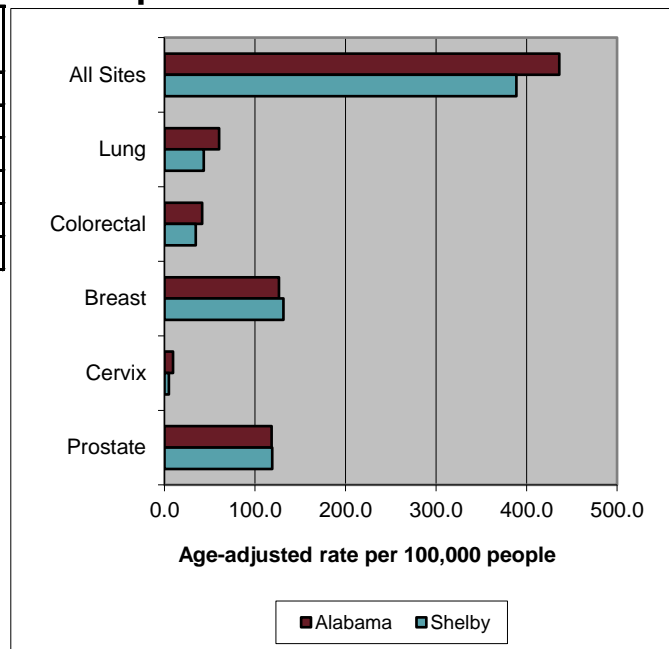
Shelby County and Alabama Comparisons 2014-2023

	Alabama Rate	Shelby Rate
All Sites	436.2	388.7
Lung	60.3	43.3
Colorectal	41.7	34.4
Breast	126.4	131.3
Cervix	9.4	5.0
Prostate	118.2	119.0

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